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Date June 15, 1973

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Answering letter date

Copy to Mr. P. J. Morgan
Mr. W. C. Thurber

Subject Attached News Release

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I redrafted your information and copies of both are attached. I think Pat Morgan should approve this even though it's for internal release. Please check with him before submitting to the Management Newsletter.

John L. Myers

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Attachment

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Suggestion For Management Newsletter -

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